

District of Columbia - Ward 5 Selected Economic Characteristics
Data Set: 2005-2009 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates

Selected Economic Characteristics	Estimate	Margin of Error (+/-)	Percent	Margin of Error (+/-)
EMPLOYMENT STATUS				
Population 16 years and over	61,817	1,603	61,817	(X)
In labor force	38,131	1,270	61.7%	1.5
Civilian labor force	38,011	1,277	61.5%	1.5
Employed	33,012	1,243	53.4%	1.6
Unemployed	4,999	632	8.1%	1
Armed Forces	120	69	0.2%	0.1
Not in labor force	23,686	1,168	38.3%	1.5
Civilian labor force	38,011	1,277	38,011	(X)
Percent Unemployed	13.2%	1.6	(X)	(X)
Females 16 years and over	33,222	1,073	33,222	(X)
In labor force	19,948	935	60.0%	2.1
Civilian labor force	19,916	939	59.9%	2.1
Employed	17,355	917	52.2%	2.2
Own children under 6 years	4,675	600	4,675	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	3,301	415	70.6%	7.3
Own children 6 to 17 years	8,260	902	8,260	(X)
All parents in family in labor force	6,265	666	75.8%	6.8
COMMUTING TO WORK				
Workers 16 years and over	31,958	1,233	31,958	(X)
Car, truck, or van -- drove alone	13,967	812	43.7%	1.9
Car, truck, or van -- carpooled	2,803	426	8.8%	1.3
Public transportation (excluding taxicab)	11,850	817	37.1%	2.2
Walked	1,869	415	5.8%	1.3
Other means	688	194	2.2%	0.6
Worked at home	781	187	2.4%	0.6
Mean travel time to work (minutes)	30.3	1.1	(X)	(X)
OCCUPATION				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	33,012	1,243	33,012	(X)
Management, professional, and related occupations	13,998	877	42.4%	2
Service occupations	6,392	628	19.4%	1.7
Sales and office occupations	8,516	723	25.8%	1.9
Farming, fishing, and forestry occupations	0	132	0.0%	0.1
Construction, extraction, maintenance, and repair occupations	1,696	290	5.1%	0.9
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	2,410	345	7.3%	1.1
INDUSTRY				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	33,012	1,243	33,012	(X)
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	30	36	0.1%	0.1
Construction	1,347	259	4.1%	0.8
Manufacturing	456	177	1.4%	0.5
Wholesale trade	188	82	0.6%	0.2
Retail trade	2,487	446	7.5%	1.3
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	1,770	270	5.4%	0.8
Information	993	204	3.0%	0.6
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	1,950	319	5.9%	0.9
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and waste management services	5,362	567	16.2%	1.6
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	8,334	730	25.2%	1.8
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and food services	3,015	425	9.1%	1.3
Other services, except public administration	2,294	341	6.9%	1
Public administration	4,786	508	14.5%	1.4
CLASS OF WORKER				
Civilian employed population 16 years and over	33,012	1,243	33,012	(X)
Private wage and salary workers	22,366	1,126	67.8%	2.2
Government workers	9,329	755	28.3%	1.9
Self-employed in own not incorporated business workers	1,301	316	3.9%	1
Unpaid family workers	16	25	0.0%	0.1
INCOME AND BENEFITS (IN 2009 INFLATION-ADJUSTED DOLLARS)				
Total households	29,340	533	29,340	(X)
Less than \$10,000	3,644	371	12.4%	1.2
\$10,000 to \$14,999	1,981	280	6.8%	0.9
\$15,000 to \$24,999	3,132	393	10.7%	1.3
\$25,000 to \$34,999	3,088	373	10.5%	1.3
\$35,000 to \$49,999	3,589	370	12.2%	1.3
\$50,000 to \$74,999	5,220	390	17.8%	1.3
\$75,000 to \$99,999	3,027	328	10.3%	1.1
\$100,000 to \$149,999	3,604	387	12.3%	1.3
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,302	252	4.4%	0.9
\$200,000 or more	753	145	2.6%	0.5
Median household income (dollars)	45,627	2,119	(X)	(X)

Mean household income (dollars)	61,775	2,533	(X)	(X)
With earnings	22,416	623	76.4%	1.5
Mean earnings (dollars)	65,560	2,919	(X)	(X)
With Social Security	7,467	362	25.4%	1.3
Mean Social Security income (dollars)	11,073	518	(X)	(X)
With retirement income	6,618	411	22.6%	1.4
Mean retirement income (dollars)	25,563	1,705	(X)	(X)
With Supplemental Security Income	1,303	215	4.4%	0.7
Mean Supplemental Security Income (dollars)	7,643	995	(X)	(X)
With cash public assistance income	1,591	274	5.4%	0.9
Mean cash public assistance income (dollars)	3,323	535	(X)	(X)
With Food Stamp/SNAP benefits in the past 12 months	4,453	478	15.2%	1.6
Families	13,734	661	13,734	(X)
Less than \$10,000	1,031	243	7.5%	1.6
\$10,000 to \$14,999	585	164	4.3%	1.2
\$15,000 to \$24,999	1,273	259	9.3%	1.8
\$25,000 to \$34,999	1,473	249	10.7%	1.7
\$35,000 to \$49,999	1,618	302	11.8%	2.2
\$50,000 to \$74,999	2,309	285	16.8%	2.1
\$75,000 to \$99,999	1,527	269	11.1%	1.9
\$100,000 to \$149,999	2,352	311	17.1%	2.1
\$150,000 to \$199,999	1,055	259	7.7%	1.9
\$200,000 or more	511	127	3.7%	0.9
Median family income (dollars)	56,349	3,289	(X)	(X)
Mean family income (dollars)	77,069	4,856	(X)	(X)
Per capita income (dollars)	27,017	1,178	(X)	(X)
Nonfamily households	15,606	706	15,606	(X)
Median nonfamily income (dollars)	35,213	2,948	(X)	(X)
Mean nonfamily income (dollars)	46,757	2,274	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for workers (dollars)	31,039	1,272	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for male full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	46,420	3,496	(X)	(X)
Median earnings for female full-time, year-round workers (dollars)	47,423	2,109	(X)	(X)
HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE				
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With private health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
With public health coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Civilian Noninstitutionalized Population Under 18 years	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
No health insurance coverage	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
PERCENTAGE OF FAMILIES AND PEOPLE WHOSE INCOME IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS IS BELOW THE POVERTY LEVEL				
All families	15.0%	2.3	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	23.7%	3.9	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	11.1%	6	(X)	(X)
Married couple families	4.6%	1.9	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	6.4%	3.8	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	0.0%	6.1	(X)	(X)
Families with female householder, no husband present	22.9%	3.6	(X)	(X)
With related children under 18 years	32.2%	5.2	(X)	(X)
With related children under 5 years only	22.0%	13	(X)	(X)
All people	19.2%	2.1	(X)	(X)
Under 18 years	29.4%	5.1	(X)	(X)
Related children under 18 years	29.1%	5.1	(X)	(X)
Related children under 5 years	20.3%	6.2	(X)	(X)
Related children 5 to 17 years	32.7%	5.9	(X)	(X)
18 years and over	16.6%	1.7	(X)	(X)
18 to 64 years	16.3%	1.9	(X)	(X)
65 years and over	18.1%	3.1	(X)	(X)
People in families	16.4%	2.7	(X)	(X)
Unrelated individuals 15 years and over	25.7%	2.8	(X)	(X)

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2009 American Community Survey

Data are based on a sample and are subject to sampling variability. The degree of uncertainty for an estimate arising from sampling variability is represented through the use of a margin of error. The value shown here is the 90 percent margin of error. The margin of error can be interpreted roughly as providing a 90 percent probability that the interval defined by the estimate minus the margin of error and the estimate plus the margin of error (the lower and upper confidence bounds) contains the true value. In addition to sampling variability, the ACS estimates are subject to nonsampling error (for a discussion of nonsampling variability, see Accuracy of the Data). The effect of nonsampling error is not represented in these tables.

Notes:

-Employment and unemployment estimates may vary from the official labor force data released by the Bureau of Labor Statistics because of differences in survey design and data collection. For guidance on differences in employment and unemployment estimates from different sources go to Labor Force Guidance.

-Workers include members of the Armed Forces and civilians who were at work last week.

-Occupation codes are 4-digit codes and are based on Standard Occupational Classification 2000.

-Industry codes are 4-digit codes and are based on the North American Industry Classification System 2002 and 2007. The 2005, 2006 and 2007 ACS data are coded using NAICS 2002 while the 2008 and 2009 ACS data use NAICS 2007 codes. Categories that differ between 2002 and 2007 NAICS are aggregated so that the 5 years of data are consistent in display and reflect the NAICS 2007 codes. The Industry categories adhere to the guidelines issued in Clarification Memorandum No. 2, "NAICS Alternate Aggregation Structure for Use By U.S. Statistical Agencies," issued by the Office of Management and Budget.

-Selected earnings and income data are not available for certain geographic areas due to problems with group quarters data collection and imputation. See the ACS User Notes for details.

-Logical coverage edits applying a rules-based assignment of Medicaid, Medicare and military health coverage were added in 2009 -- please see http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/hlthins/publications/coverage_edits_final.pdf for more details.

-While the 2005-2009 American Community Survey (ACS) data generally reflect the November 2008 Office of Management and Budget (OMB) definitions of metropolitan and micropolitan statistical areas; in certain instances the names, codes, and boundaries of the principal cities shown in ACS tables may differ from the OMB definitions due to differences in the effective dates of the geographic entities.

-Estimates of urban and rural population, housing units, and characteristics reflect boundaries of urban areas defined based on Census 2000 data. Boundaries for urban areas have not been updated since Census 2000. As a result, data for urban and rural areas from the ACS do not necessarily reflect the results of ongoing urbanization.

Explanation of Symbols: